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Choice Poetry.

"WE'VE ALL OUR ANGEL SIDE."

Despair not of the better part
Tend her in human kind
A grain of light will darkness dash,
In e'en the darkest mind.
The savage with his club of war
The rage so wild and good
Are laid if in fire eternal I rede
Of common brotherhood.
Despair not, oh despair not, then
For though the world to wake
No answer is we dream-like,
But there's a answer side

The hope, rough stones from out the mine,
Is roughly and no use.
Have veins of purest coral hid
Beneath the surface there.
Few words we have but to their height
Some toy more plant crops
And round the peaks we clothe
The sea-bird ells and sings.
Believe me, too, that rugged souls
Beneath their coldness hide
More than a beautiful and good
We've all our angel side

In all there is an inner depth—
A far-off secret way
Where, though the wanderers of the soul
I cast each life-saving ray,
In secret human heart there is
A tactful wondrous chord
That may be struck endeavors to no
By some sweet loving word
The wet word heart is vain may try
In neither thought to it de
Some unexpected tone or trial
It hath an angel side

Tempered and soft, and mellow'd into
Dash with the shade of sin,
Deepening not show hide light
Which God hath placed within
Oh, then, be not too soon dismayed
Though ofttimes sight,
Trust persevering tone and deed
Will gain the heart at last
No human heart there is a
But there's a angel side.

Original Novelet.

THE CURSE OF CLIFTON.

A TALE OF

EXPIATION AND REDEMPTION.

WRITTEN FOR THE SATURDAY EVENING POST,
BY MRS. EMMA D. E. N. SOUTHWORTH,
AUTHOR OF "THE LOST HEIRESS," "THE DISCARDED DAUGHTER," "THE HIDDEN PATH," &c.

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CHAPTER XXVIII.

WORTH EVASION AT THE TIME

Oh, Winter, winter, all the severest year
I know thee all unlovely as thou seemest
And dreaded as thou comest!
I cannot close thee in a common description
Remember what thou hast been to me!
And all the reminders that the whole year
Of tenderness and love have been to me
Of song, uncompanioned evening, blazing

Catherine returned to Hawthorngrove on Christmas Eve, with a heart cold, cruel, even afflicted, and the level sun threw a glistening, yellow hue on the light snow that lay on the ground, and on the surface of the snow clad earth. And as Katie's little, rough, rude, but very sturdy dog bounded along the ground, life and hope and joy rolled back to her heart, giving bloom to her cheeks, light to her eyes, and elasticity to all her movements. She was very glad indeed to find herself on her way to the Grove, and after the long, weary, exciting, exhausting atmosphere of White Cliffe, and the disturbing proximity of Georgia, for the long, calm days and long, calm evenings with Mr. Clifton, at the farm-house. She reached her destination at last, and, before she had set the gist with a smile of pleasure, and welcomed her with a kiss of affection. Then she rushed for the parlor, and, throwing off her hood, sat down by the fire, while she removed her bonnet and shawl. She did not remain long below, and gave orders that tea should be served immediately and a fire kindled in Miss Clifton's room, as she was tired, and Sally was fatigued, and would when to retire early. There was in the manner of the lady upon her return, and from this evening, a maternal tenderness and solicitude, very touching and delightful to Catherine. This was so apparent to the domestics, that they began to depart themselves towards the maiden with the deference due to the daughter of the house.

And how calmly and cheerfully the Winter days passed. There was the early rising, and the early breakfast, in the same, bright, hark parlor, where the morning had found them. There was the leisurely talk over the meal, about the people, and the events, and the occupations of the day. After breakfast, came the ride around the farm, to the scene of which every field and lane and grove was inspected in their every acute quarter visited. And during these rides, Mrs. Clifton gave her many valuable instruction relating to agricultural matters.

"For, my dear," she said, "some day you may have to do duty yourself, and it is well for these things to learn after, when your husband is in the public service, elected to the Senate, or at the legislature. To which Cath-rine returned no reply. And then came dinner, and the short afternoon rest, and the long, long, social evening by the fireside, employed in needle-work, embroidery, reading, conversation, and occasionally varied by music or read-ing, and finally ended by family prayer and bed.

Mrs. Clifton and Catherine better, never wearied of each other. They had many merits points for hands and heads—they were both strong, mental thinkers, not shoot all, both fond of reading and study, and both fond of the abouters.

And now Catherine edged of a very dear, but dangerous delight, in the perusal of Major Clifton's letters of travel. These letters arrived about two in a month. And, as Catherine was the when they came, were festivals indeed to the recluse lady and the students. Often when one was brought in, Mrs. Clifton nothing through weakness, upon the sofa, shading her eyes with her hand, would say, "Break the seal and read it to me, dear Catherine." And Kate would do so—drawing delicious draughts of pleasure and pain from the poetic and artistic spirit that pervaded every sentiment, narrative and descrip-tion in the epistle. And on these long, quiet Winter evenings, very often the conversation would turned upon the absent one—the dear hope always introduced her but another. It seemed as if Mrs. Clifton wished to make Catherine thoroughly acquainted with his character and disposition—with his faults and weaknesses, as well as with his virtues and powers.

"My son has his serious imperfections, like other men, of course—though your eyes contradict me, Catherine; if I, his partial mother, see his faults, you may depend. Archer is no designed, my dear, in the extension of any one, but—well, no matter—don't blush so—I see his mother, and I love him, too, and think highly of him, of course, but I acknowledge he has in his angel. Kate, and I should be sorry you should take him for one—disappointment would come of it, my dear. He is proud, jealous, and suspicious as a Spaniard, and while under the influence of these feelings, he is reserved and cuffen as an Indian—yet these traits of character have been so transplanted in my dear Kate's affection, that they have actually assumed virtues—the pride, jealousy and suspicion have seemed all high sense of honor and intellectual nonsense—and the reserve and sullenness—dignity! Is it not so, my dear?"

Kate's eyes lighted, and her cheeks flushed lightly, but not with bashfulness—with an emotion that was bowing at her heart—and carried away from self-consciousness by enthusiasm, she answered,

"Oh, madam! I know what I would say to you, if I only knew how to say it. Heaven wash divine thoughts and feelings into our heart and brain sometimes, but they cannot pass clarion into words—they are choked up perhaps by sin or imperfection. Such a feeling I have now—honestly light, if I could only retract it—"

She paused an instant, unconscious that the lady was looking intently upon her. Then she spoke again, slowly, in a kind of calm fervor—

"Real affection—I do not mean passion or imaginations—but real love does never cannot do without with sacred others'—never!—all faults are the excess or the deficiency of some virtue—well, real love sees no object and perhaps as he is at his worst—but even perhaps as evil as he is even at his best, but as he may become—not he many call beauties, if that real affection conceives faithful to its trust. Ah! how strong that conviction is in my heart—how would you judge it?"

"I understand you, Catherine, and may your true affection be the divine alchemy that shall transmute all Archer Clifton's faults into virtues. At this personal reply, Catherine's eyes fell and her cheeks burned with sudden self-recollection, and for some time after she could not recall the conversation without deep blushes.

More and more freely as the weeks passed by did Mrs. Clifton talk to Kate of her son and his peculiarities, and the best way to meet them.

"I know you will love Archer, my dear, if, in order to his proselytism, made himself all things to all men. Archer is proud, and may deny it if he must cause, but it is the false modesty of conceit which is very distasteful to the haughty, savage which Archer unwisely bestowed, when it naturally becomes very acceptable." This style of instruction addressed to her by weeks and months, was at once very pleasing, and very painful to Kate. It was sweet, it was true beyond boundary, to be considered in the same relation to her beloved, to be addressed and talked of by one possessed the power of rendering his future life better and happier, and so addressed by her own mother, too, had it been possible, to be supposed by possible to be on the future esteem and affection of one who had never called—and the language of love before. Often she thought of begging Mrs. Clifton to desist from this style of conversation—but then, in the humiliation of her heart, the fear of losing a friend, during which Mrs. Clifton gave, finally fell into the manner of considering her and speaking of her as her son's future wife. At all once one day it suddenly struck Kate that Mrs. Clifton might be the victim of a mistake, and that Archer might have returned to his standing or engagement existed between herself and Major Clifton, and that her own silence and seeming acquiescence had served to confirm the error. And this very natural and rational thought filled the girl's heart with bitterness, utterly blasting and destroying all her beautiful hopes, and casting her into with the bitterest deep humiliation. She felt that she must undeceive Mrs. Clifton immediately. So when the lady, seeing her sad, asked the cause, she replied, rising fire and the lady spoke of her son, saying, with trembling voice—

"The most unhappy fact in his character is his tendency to suspicion, my love. He would be far happier with his faults if he never have a cured from him, but even one touching a little ideal of perfection, and so suspicious of deceit, deserted with him, and, alas! even that course was not always sure to save them sufficient to keep him—oh, and when it does not, Catherine, there is nothing left for her but forbearance and love. Love and forbearance, my dear, are the great deal of you, my love, like all modern fathers, I suppose."

Catherine's face was bowed over her work, ashamed of her supposed mistake, ashamed of the deception she was practicing, and ashamed of

Miscellaneous.

HOW TO BECOME MILLIONAIRES.

The following opinions of eminent millionaires, respecting the art of acquiring wealth, are taken from Freedley's recent work on Money-making. Rothschild's rule of "never buying anything to do with an unlucky man or place" . . . which was also one of Astor's principles—will make every one in the very parochial of schools, new and Mammonism. It would be well, perhaps, in this connection, to state that a certain old veteran, which the world *pretends* to hold in great reverence, says: "*The love of money is the root of all evil.*" And, again: "Your gold and silver is cankered; and the rust of them shall be a witness against you, and shall eat your flesh as if it were fire. Ye have heaped treasure together for the last days." With this extraordinary preface, we proceed to

ROTHSCHILD'S OPINIONS.

The founder of this world-celebrated house has excelled his early success in the following rules:—

1. "I combined three profits: I made the manufacturer my customer; and the one I bought of my customer; that is, I supplied the manufacturer with raw materials and drew on each of which I made a profit, and took his manufactured goods, which I sold at a profit; and then combined three profits.

2. "Make a bargain at once. Be an off-hand man.

3. "*Never have anything to do with an unlucky man or place.* I have been very, until he was one; since men who had not about to their feet. I never sat with them; their advice seemed very well, but fate is against them; they cannot get on themselves; how can they do good to me?

4. "*Be cautious and bold.* It requires a great deal of boldness and a great deal of caution to make a great fortune; and when you have got it, it requires ten times as much wit to keep it."

The continued prosperity of the eminent banking-house of the Rothschilds is ascribed, by the following biographical extract, to two principles:—"He who does not delay for examples, and has knowledge enough to perceive, that in all great affairs the success not only depends on the choice and use of the favorable moment, *but especially on the pursuit of an acknowledged fundamental maxim*, will soon perceive how particularly two principles were never neglected by this banking-house, to which, besides, to a prudent performance of its business and to advantageous conjunctures, it owes the greatest part of its present wealth and importance.

"The first of these principles was that which caused the five brothers to carry on their business in a perpetual and uninterrupted communion. This was the golden rule bequeathed to them by their father. Since his death every proposition, let it come from whom it may, to the object of their common deliberations, ever important and tempting it asserted on the combined effort, after a plan agreed upon, and all had an equal share in the result. Though for several years their customary confidences were very remote, their correspondence did never interrupt their harmony, it rather gave them this advantage, that they were always perfectly well instructed of the condition of things in the different capitals—that each of them, on his part, could do better justice to what he undertakes to do for the firm. The second principle in perpetual view of this house is, not to seek an excessive profit in any undertaking, to assign certain limits to every enterprise still, so much as human caution and prudence can do, to make themselves independent of the play of accidents."

DANIEL BRADLEY, the celebrated political economist, was born in London, of a Jewish family, in 1775. His character for probity, industry and talent, early promised for him the means of support; and becoming a member of the Stock Exchange, he accumulated an immense property. He is author of many works on finance, and in 1818 was elected to Parliament. Died, 1827. He had what he called his own three golden rules, the observance of which he confessed upon on his private friends. These were:

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EXTRAVAGANCE OF MEN AND WOMEN CONTRASTED.

These are alarming times. What with Women's Rights Conventions, "Miss Doctors," Miss Mormons, &c., the female sex, that used to be so manageable, is getting entirely the upper hand. In our grandfathers' days, if a woman would like a quiet home, and a comfortable old age, she bore it like a patient martyr as she was. Now, if she presume to assert her rights, or more, not only to answer, but to write back—and even to an editor! Things evidently are coming to a pretty pass. Why, I have it from a friend at Dr. Dewey's and other reverend gentlemen, that it is not their habit. Sometimes, it is true, most be done. Mrs. Prisson recently threw down her gauntlet—but grace, we mean, to the Rev. Mr. Prisson, and he picked it up. Or does Nancy Bell, presume to handy word for word with a minister? We repeat it, something must be done. A Male Convention must be held, and Female Rights and Duties defined once for all. Our wives must be called to order. Different modes of meeting the evil have been discussed. The presence of their forbearance must be called, particularly Chosen Exchange, be accumulated an immense property. He is author of many works on finance, and in 1818 was elected to Parliament. Died, 1827. He had what he called his own three golden rules, the observance of which he confessed upon on his private friends. These were:

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DANIEL WEBSTER.—We were in error in stating that Mr. Webster had left no will—it was drawn up on the Thursday previous to his death. "It gives the Marshfield property to the widow, during her lifetime, and then transfers to Fletcher Webster—the only living child of the deceased statesman—whose son, Daniel, an unusually intelligent and manly lad, of about twelve years—succeeds to the inheritance. Mr. Webster's friend Mackinlay, (his agent,) and Mr. Appleton, are already very wealthy, so that no injustice is done them in his bequest. He did not forget his grandchildren in his will, but left to very many of them little marks of his kindness, in the shape of books, &c. To his last horses, he gave instructions for the manufacture of rare plum-gill rings, to be presented to the children of his friends. Mr. Webster's will was drawn up by Mr. Mackinlay, and witnessed by many persons, who had served him gratuitously for many years, viz.: Sarah Smith, Mrs. Webster; Moses Mackinlay, (his agent,) and Ann and Wm. Johnson, domestics. He ordered the burials of his own sons and that of each of the beneficiaries, together with the date to be engraven on their tokens of regard. . . . W. Jones, R. H. Blanchard, and Fletcher Webster are the Executors, and Mrs. Webster, Executrix. Richard Curtis and Peter Harvey, are Trustees on behalf of the widow."

In relation to Mr. Webster's religious opinions, the Boston Courier positively says: "Shortly after his marriage with Miss Caroline Le Roy, in 1849 he left Hungary, after two years' residence there, and returned to the City of Washington.

While the above is a complete refutation of the charge of scepticism brought against the great Hungarian—a charge which we always considered as unjust and unfounded—we think the following light it places the cause of the Ancient Faith in a very favorable light. We translate it from the Augsburg Gazette:

Vienna, after reconsidering calmly the whole career of Kossuth in this country, we are almost tempted to believe that he is a tool in the hands of an European correspondent of the New York Herald. You must spout a considerable number of times in 1849 to let Hungary, after two years' struggle, fall a victim to the sword of Windischgrätz and Jellachich, and then, with a cool head, also agree to be hoisted for his cause.

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General News.

Foreign News.—The whole Russian army had been ordered into quarters for the Duke of Wellington.

It is rumored that the English Government will raise the income tax to ten per cent., making an income tax on wages above one pound per week, commencing the first week in the present.

There will be a strong organization in the new Parliament in favor of the vote by ballot.

The ship Resolute, Captain Albert, formerly Arctic Expedition, reports that the other vessels were passed in Lancaster Sound, and were favored by open weather, and under a strong pressure of sail. The Captain thinks it probable that they are all from the Atlantic.

The world America has triumphed in a race with the new Scottish yacht by twenty minutes.

The challenge of the owners of the America has been accepted by the Scotch yacht Maria Stuart, also by the new iron yacht Dimond, belonging to Mr. Ellis Lawrence, of Boston.

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Dark the flowers above the river rise,
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Like a cypress wreath it growing
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One who wreathed the lovely landscape
With those green and shady bowers,
Past away—away forever
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And the shrubs and vine so green,
And the fragrant bed of roses
And the winding paths between;

And the house in beauty bowered,
Know no beauty of its own—
Nor we again may hear the music
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Now again shall hear the murmur
Of the ocean's rampart,
Whom those festal days of summer
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Silent River—sadly flowing!
Shadowed with the laughter of past
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The scene that followed this declaration is beyond the power of pen to describe. The astonished company were compelled to give vent to their surcharged feelings in peals of boisterous laughter; while the poor girl, her face suffused with crimson blushes, left the table, declaring, as she fled to the cabin, that she would never be shocked of one of those pesky steamboats soon agin."

"The Last Shall be First."—A week or two ago, four endless stages left Troy at the same train of cars, for the purpose of stealing the passengers to as many different places, in the State of Maine. He owed each one separately, and they each were suspicious of the object of the other, but kept their own counsel about it. So they rode, acquaintanceship, and the old driver of the first stage, who had the most at heart. When they arrived at the depot at Farmington, which was three miles from where they deliver did their passengers, he said nothing to "pay 'em over the road" but a solemn silence, which was broken by the passengers, who, after a related admittance to the fourth, and last stage, started a good deal to each other, and upon the outside with the driver. He said the driver if he wanted to sell his horse. He said he did not want to sell, but he did not want more than fifty dollars, but that he would take one hundred dollars for him. Yes, said he. The—fourth man" quickly paid the money, and took the horse. The passengers, and started to go back—slipped it from the harness, and mounted the old one that he had sold, and passed, and jumped upon the horse's back and rode off, while the "fourth" were looking out for the "original cuss." He rode to a lawyer's, got a writ made and served, and had the driver arrested, and got him to the jail on the "insiders" came up puffing and blowing. The colonies came, too, and bought back the horse for fifty dollars. He "sold" and offered to pay that sum, if he certainly one, but he found only enough sufficient to pay his own debt, would not tell of it to Boston.—*Maine Mirror Mirror.*

An Incident.—A few mornings since, just as the cars had started from the depot in the city, a country gentleman, his wife and daughter, who had purchased a distance in the cars, came with good speed towards the depot. One of the agents of the railroad of course stepped out on the stage, the spectators, who were stupid to deadness, cried,—"Louder, louder, we can't hear!" "I'm not the ward of city," said the Police. A riot was the consequence, and he of the Agent-in-Chief was called out. By the time the place was him in the highway, knocking down thistles with his cane. "Why don't the cars run further down?" said he. "Because they've left," said the agent. "Do you imagine they believed to be waiting for you?" "Well, I don't think they was authorized?" Even Rings be one of the best of the Agent, and he left the place with diffidence. "I scarcely hoped for much," said the agent to himself as he went off, "but I had scrupped her," for her moment—I do think, Mr. Editor, that the cars ought to have gone a slight shrug, "one have over a hundred years between us.

Pleasant.—Some of those witty dames. He loud down to the very Reign of Terror, and